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provided from May 1 to October 31. All screen doors shall be provided with self-closing devices and kept closed.

REG. 37. *Habits of employees.*—A notice shall be conspicuously posted in water-closet compartment and wash room directing all employees to cleanse their hands before leaving toilet and immediately before commencing work. Use of common towel is prohibited.

REG. 38. *Storage of food on floor.*—No food intended for human consumption shall be deposited or allowed to remain within 2 feet of the surface of any bakery unless the same shall be contained in boxes or other receptacles so as to protect them from dogs and other animals and their excretions.

REG. 39. *Raw material used in manufacture.*—All raw material used in the manufacture of edible products shall comply with the provisions of the Sanitary Code relating to food and drink.

REG. 40. *Coloring matter or preservatives.*—The presence in any part of the bakery of any prohibited coloring matter or preservative shall be deemed prima facie evidence of its use, and the presence of any such material shall be sufficient cause for the prosecution of the owners or proprietors of the establishment.

Cemeteries, Crematories, Vaults, etc.—Establishment. (Reg. Dept. of Health, Mar. 30, 1915.)

Regulations of the department of health of the city of New York, adopted March 30, 1915, effective April 1, 1915, relating to section 45 of the Sanitary Code, which provides as follows:

SEC. 45. *Crematories, burying grounds, cemeteries, tombs, and vaults; permit required to establish, to bury, and to open receptacle; burial of dead body restricted.*—No new crematory, burying ground, cemetery, tomb, or vault to be used for the reception of dead human bodies shall be established, nor shall any dead body or the remains thereof, be placed in any existing burying ground, vault, tomb, or cemetery in the city of New York, nor shall any grave, vault, tomb, or other receptacle in which there is a human body, or any part thereof, be opened, exposed, or disturbed without a permit therefor issued by the board of health or otherwise than in accordance with the terms of such permit and the regulations of said board, and every body buried in any such place shall be buried to the depth of 6 feet below the surface of the ground, and 4 feet below any closely adjacent street, except that in the Borough of Queens a body may be buried to the depth of 3 feet below the surface of the ground.

REGULATIONS GOVERNING ESTABLISHMENT OF CEMETERIES, CREMATORIES, VAULTS, ETC.

REGULATION 1. *Applications to establish new cemeteries, etc.*—Applications to establish a new burial ground, crematory, or vault must be accompanied by a copy of the articles of incorporation of the society, association, or corporation, and must conform to the existing laws of the State of New York. In the event of any change in the name of the cemetery the board of health must be notified by the secretary of such corporate body.

REG. 2. *Retention of bodies in vaults.*—No body shall be retained in the general reception vault in any cemetery for a longer period than 10 days unless special permission therefor is granted by the sanitary superintendent, an assistant sanitary superintendent, the registrar of records, or an assistant registrar of records of the department of health, and such vaults must at all times be kept in good sanitary condition.

REG. 3. *Vaults above ground.*—All vaults partly or wholly above ground must be kept free from offensive odors and must be provided with crypts or cells for the retention of dead bodies, and such crypts or cells must be hermetically sealed directly after the placing of bodies therein.

REG. 4. *Notice of sale or lease of ground to societies, corporations, etc.*—No plot, range, or section situated within the boundaries of any existing cemetery shall be let, leased, transferred, or sold to any society, organization, lodge, or other corporate body unless notice of such transfer, lease, or sale shall have been given to the board of health.

REG. 5. *Lists of burials to be furnished.*—A list of the names of all persons buried in any cemetery or cremated in any crematory within the city limits, with the number of the permit and the date of burial, must be returned weekly to the borough office of the department of health in which the cemetery or crematory is situated.

Disinterment and Shipment of Bodies. (Reg. Dept. of Health, Mar. 30, 1915.)

REGULATIONS FOR THE DISINTERMENT OF DEAD BODIES.

REGULATION 1. *Place of issuance of disinterment permits.*—Permits for the disinterment of bodies interred within the limits of the city of New York must be obtained at the office of the department of health in the borough in which the cemetery at which disinterment is to take place is situated. Such permit must be countersigned by the sanitary superintendent, an assistant sanitary superintendent, the registrar of records, or an assistant registrar of records.

REG. 2. *Disinterment application to be accompanied by letter authorizing same.*—Applications to obtain permits for the disinterment must be made upon blank forms provided by the department of health and must have attached thereto an affidavit from the nearest surviving relative or other authorized person consenting to such disinterment.

REG. 3. *Inclosure of bodies.*—All bodies disinterred within the limits of the city must be inclosed in a metallic or metallic-lined hermetically sealed casket, coffin, or outside box unless otherwise ordered by the sanitary superintendent, an assistant sanitary superintendent, the registrar of records, or an assistant registrar of records.

REG. 4. *Shipments of disinterred remains.*—All bodies disinterred within the limits of the city which are to be shipped over railroads or steamboats to other towns, cities, or countries must be inclosed in metallic lined and hermetically sealed coffins, caskets, or outside boxes.